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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application – Filing Date Granted mailed June 28, 2004 (enclosed herewith), Applicant respectfully submits Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney.

Application No.: 10/824984 Docket No.: 09600-00014-US

Our check in the amount of \$130.00 covering the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) is enclosed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 03-2775, under Order No. 09600-00014-US. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

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- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

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